GANS BY KNOCKOUT

Herman Loses Light-weight and made no attempt to rise. It was a Bout in Eighth Round.

NEGRO LEADS THROUGHOUT

With the Exception of a Flash in the Fifth Round, the Chicago Man Is Cleverly Outclassed from Gong to Gong-Gans' Right and Left on the Jaw Do the Damage.

Tonopah, Nev., Jan. 1.-Successfully defending his title as light-weight champion of the world. Joe Gans this afternoon demonstrated that he has no superior in his class, by knocking out Kid Herman, of Chicago, in the eighth round.

The issue was never in doubt. From the tap of the gong in the first round the Baltimore negro proved his superiority over his adversary, and the "Pride of the Chicago Ghetto" never had a chance. Gradually locating his opponent's jaw with hard swings, Gans hammered his man at will, and in several rounds had him groggy from the effects of the hard blows he administered.

The Baltimore boy began the first round by hammering the Hebrew until he bled from the nose and mouth. Time and again Famous Tri-State League of Pennhe punctured the injured members, and soon the Chicago lad was in a weakened condition, Gans finally capping the climax by sending his right and left to the jaw, which sent Herman down and out for the count in the eighth-round.

In better condition than he was when he fought Battling Nelson to a standstill. that there is no one in his class who can has defended for years.

Herman Simply Outclassed. There was no excuse for the loser. He

met a better man-one who had the "Indian sign" on him, but Herman made a good fight. He was simply outclassed. Both boys were in splendid condition.

Always favorite, Gans gladdened the hearts of his backers by "carrying home the bacon." While the negro was always at prohibitive odds in the betting, as good as 4 to 1 being offered on him, those who backed the champion at these figures cashed in lots of the coin.

Gans brought blood from Herman by whipping the right and left to the nose and mouth, followed by a terrific right round, forcing Herman to clinch. In the third round Gans sent his man to the ropes and hammered him with right and men fought at close quarters, with honors

Herman made his best showing in the fifth, when he drove Gans to the ropes position to organized baseball. It has der pressure, with a volley of lefts and rights to the been the refuge of many disgruntled playjaw and face. Then followed a mix-up, the negro clearly outpointing his man. In the sixth, Gans began to force matters, sending right hooks to jaw, and player has no choice but to remain where driving Herman back to his corner in a he is wanted or play independent ball. groggy condition. Gans kept up his forcing tactics in the seventh, sending Her-

The Final Round.

left and right, both blows landing toona club last night. squarely on Herman's jaw for a knock-

Herman entered the ring at 3:40 p. m. It was 3:43 p. m. when Gans climbed over Only One-third of Injuries to Ball the ropes. The reception given him was a warm one.

Jack Welch, the referee, was then incorners with overcoats on, while the son! photographers arranged to take pictures. Announcer Gardiner then took the center of the stage, and showed the rules of the contest. He announced the contest a

Time was called at 4:05 p. m. Fight by Rounds.

Round 1-Herman led for head and play. missed. They went to a clinch. The men sparred, and in a clinch Herman sent his right to kidneys. Gans then drove a a few which are utterly absurd under wicked right swat to the jaw, following the classification allotted to them. For with a right to head. They clinch. At close quarters Herman hooked right to head. Herman missed left for stomach and, quick as a flash, Gans whipped right and left to nose, bringing blood. Cans swung terrific right to face, and walloped Herman with right to ribs Herman, just as the gong sounded, planted left to champion's face. Gans' round. Round 2-Herman covered up, and they

blows. More infighting, in which both men displayed great cleverness in blocking each other's attempts. Herman public should pray to be delive swung his left hard to ribs, but Gans the statistician running amuck. sent two hard rights to jaw, forcing Herman to clinch. Gans drove right to ribs and sent Herman staggering back with a right to neck. As the gong rang Gans hit Herman on the face, but apologized. Round 3-Herman swung a hard left to head, and they exchanged right swings to face. Gans fairly floored his man with right to neck. Herman tried with right and left for body, but received a left to face which sent him outside the ring. Gans followed the advantage with ring. Gans followed as a ring for received and other games won a place on almost every all-American eleven chosen this ring. 1:33 1-5. Orchan, The Only Way, and Watch-Fred Brut, and Sir Carter finished as named. SECOND RACE—One mile. Beachwood, 169 (Miller), 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:32 2-5. Metlakatla, Anvil, Fred Brut, and Sir Carter finished as named. SECOND RACE—One mile. Beachwood, 169 (Miller), 3 to 1, won; Dorado, 167 (Miller), 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:32 1-5. Orchan, The Only Way, and Watch-Fred Brut, and Sir Carter finished as named. SECOND RACE—One mile. Beachwood, 169 (Miller), 3 to 1, won; Dorado, 169 (Miller), 3 to 2, third. Time, 1:32 1-5. Orchan, The Only Way, and Watch-Fred Brut, and Sir Carter finished as named. SECOND RACE—One mile. Beachwood, 169 (Miller), 3 to 1, won; Dorado, 169 (Miller), 3 to 1, ring. Gans followed the advantage with a short right and left body blow. Gans then sent Herman to the floor with left where he spent the holidays with relahook to ribs. Herman was off his baltives. Burn denies a yarn which was ance, and the blow left no telling effects. Gans had the better of the round.

4-After clinching, Herman swung right to ribs and left to stomach, They mixed at close quarters, and Herman sent short-arm right to head. Both men then missed terrific right swings. Herman landed left on stomach. Gans planted his right to jaw with great force, nd they exchanged lefts to stomach. Herman swung hard right to jaw, follow ing it with heavy left to stomach that made Gans wince. It was an even round,

Round 5-After a half minute of spar-ring, Herman swung left to body, followed it with right to same place, and then rushed him to corner. Gans then shot out his right, and it landed on Herman's jaw. Herman's showing thus far

Round 6-Gans blocked various jabs by Herman and peppered the latter's face to secure a block of stock in the City with rights and lefts. Both men very Park track, New Orleans, which is said cool, but Gans' face wears a determined Herman was on the aggressive and and fall in" came the injunction from Herman's seconds, and Gans, at long range, drove his right again and again to the kidneys. Gans almost sent Her-man through the ropes with right hooks to the jaw. Gans had a big lead in this round, and Herman lost his jaunty air

as he sought his seat. Round 7-Herman started the round with left swings to the ribs, but Gans more than got even with rights and left: to stomach. Herman rallied and landed his left and right to ribs, and they Gans forced the fighting and forced Herman to the ropes. Herman fought back, and as he closed on Gans. the negro met him with terrific right up-Herman's eye. Gans followed his man to the corner, and they exchanged kidney

blows. Bell clanged as the men were sparring. It was Gans' round. Round 8-Gans sent a straight left to face, and Herman landed a right to jaw. Suddenly, Gans shot out left and right squarely to jaw, and Herman dropped

MARTIN AND RHODES DRAW.

Points Equal at End of Fifteenround Mill at Providence.

Providence, R. I., Jan. 1.-The fifteen und fight held at the Rhode Island A. C. of Thornton last night, with Terry Martin nd Billy Rhodes as the principals, ended in a draw after fast fighting on the part of both men.

Rhodes had somewhat the better of Martin in height, weight, and reach, and he went after the Philadelphian hard, but this did not dismay Terry, and Rhodes carelessness in guarding his head gave Martin an opening, through which he hammered most successfully. The decision was favorably received by the spec tators, many of whom came from Bos

champion, who will meet Terry Martin in a short time, was one of the most interested of the ringside brigade.

PROTECTION FOR OUTLAWS

Players' Refuge to Be Destroyed by National Commission.

sylvania Will Become Part of Organized Baseball.

Joe Gans proved to the pugilistic world harbored therein while under reservation ened under pressure. Pompadour, ancompete with him for the laurel which he peace with the powers of organized base- of the purse for Dick Watkins. The race Hain

> Monday at Cincinnati. At this time for- bothered mal request for membership in the Naional Association will be made.

The Tri-State club owners, the national the National Association, will meet at terling was third. Cincinnati, and it is a foregone conclued. Powers and the Tri-State men will without much effort. then depart for New York. The annual meeting of the National Association takes complete.

There are several Tri-State players who

This action removes the only strong opers, who will now be turned back to the previous to "jumping," and now the ball

man against the ropes, and placing rights will affect the patronage, and that the and left to the face. Gans began the eighth by sending a straight left to the face. Herman re-Mack and Monte Cross, of the Athletics. Raibert also marked and Monte Cross, of the Athletics. taliated with a right to the jaw and a have an option on one of the clubs. Arleft to the ribs. Gans then shot out his thur Irwin was elected manager of the Al

MISLEADING STATISTICS.

The participants sat in their facts in recording the events of a sea-

In the list of football fatalities and injuries, for example, everything from the falling of a stand to the running away of a pony was held responsible Manager Rickard was present, and was for the killing of players. Out of the given a handsome reception by the crowd. total list of deaths it was subsequently ascertained only one-third were really the result of accidents on the field during

Frazer, Ross, pitcher for Wisconsin books.

worked at close quarters, Herman landing right and left to body. They mix it up, and a furious rally follows, Herman New York. having the better of an exchange of body

Springfield, Ohio.

HARVARD STAR REMAINS.

Burr, All-American Guard, Will Not Quit Cambridge.

printed during his absence that he was to leave Harvard and go into business in the West. The article referred to de been elected captain of the Harvard team for next year had a great deal to do with his decision to leave college.

Burr has no intention of leaving Harvard, has no intention of going into business in the West, and the thought of being elected captain of the 1907 eleven had never entered his mind. He figured that according to the usual rule at Harvard only the juniors would be considered for the place, and he is a sophomore, with two years more to play.

May Cause Trouble for Ed Corrigan. There is a rumor circulating in Western turf circles that Louis Cella has manage: to be controlled by Ed. Corrigan. As

Corrigan stronghold, there may be serious

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ELFALL IN A GALLOP

Outsider Takes New Year Handicap.

GILD MAKES A GAME EFFORT

Burlew & O'Neil's Horse Tries Hard in the Stretch, but 119 Pounds on Back Is Too Much-Toboggan Upsets Jimmy McCormick's Calculations in Sprint Handican.

New Orleans, Jan. 1 .- One of the largest crowds that has ever attended the races in this city was at the Fair Grounds his afternoon, and every possible space nis afternoon, and every possible space in the grandstand and betting ring was Raibert. Lady Vashti... packed to suffocation.

Secretary Nathanson had a good card, the principal event being the New Year Handicap for three-year-olds at a mile nd seventy yards. A field of nine fair Rainland Beau Brommel. poroughbreds were mustered, with Burlew & O'Neill naming three-Gild, Sir l'oddington, and Judge Post. The three Nutwood were at the prohibitive odds of 2 to 5 in Lucky Charm. he betting, while the balance of the field went begging at long prices. Elfall, his back, however, upset all calculations f the crowd by winning as he pleased. Paragor With Tommy Mead on his back, Elfall raced away at the start, and increased his lead as the race progressed. The finish saw him only galloping, with a Mae Lynch.... Altoona, Pa., Jan. 1.-The famous "out- Burlew & O'Neil stable, made a game law" baseball league will soon be only bid, however, in the stretch, but the a memory, and the players who were weight at 119 pounds told, as he weakto other clubs will have to make their other light-weight, saved the short end Samuel C. was worth \$1,420 to the winner.

Tired of big salaries and small receipts | Jimmy McCormick and his followers athe Tri-State organization will ask the tempted to clean up with Monet in the National Association for "protection." sprint handicap at five furlongs, but To-President Carpenter has called a meet- boggan, who was well played, jumped ing of the club owners, to be held next into the lead at the start and was never

Phil Finch, the 1 to 2 favorite, made a show of a fair lot in the mile purse R affair, and galloped from end to end. commission, and President Pat Powers, of Henry Watterson was second, while Bes-

Woodsaw, with 12 to 1 about his chances, The first two-year-old race of the year was third on the card. Fifteen youngsters went to the post, with Bob Tucker's swing to the face at the beginning. He place there the following day and the sur- Whisk Broom the favorite. Whisk Broom slowed up these tactics in the second render of the "outlaws" will then be outbroke her field at the start, but was driving hard to beat Gremse at the finish. have been blacklisted for life by the na- bit green. Hazel M., which finished third, left body blows. In the fourth round the tional commission and National Associa- also ran a fair race, and may do better tion. It is believed that the ban will be with more racing. The Watkins colt, removed from these men. showed some speed, but weakened un-

> The Summaries. FIRST RACE-Three year-olds and upward; six FIRST RACE—Three year-olds and upward; six Wilde Gregg... urlongs. Woodsaw, 113 (D. Lewe), 12 to 1, won; Tiger Colonel Jewell... ady Henrietts, 114 (J. Hennessey), 8 to 1, second; Boloman Lady Henrietts, 114 (J. Hennessey), 8 to 1, second:

previous to Jumping. and now the ball player has no choice but to remain where he is wanted or play independent ball.

Many believe that the taking away of star players and cutting down salaries will affect the patronage and that the league will not live a season under the new conditions. However, it is reported that some clever baseball men are investing in franchises. Manager Compiler (Cabassh, Lucy Young, Sir Minsemeat, Monet, and Ralbert also ran.

THIRD RACE—Maiden two-year-olds; three fur-longs. Whisk Broom, 112 (Nicol), 2 to 1. wen; Gremse, 112 (J. Hennessey), 7 to 1, second; Hazel M., 112 (W. R. Walker), 30 to 1, third. Time, 9:32 2-5. Dick Rose, Lula B., Poem, Capucine, Southern Knight, Toro, Rebel Queen, Grace W., Libertyviffe, Star of Woodstock, Violet Handgee, and Whise also

Only One-third of Injuries to Ball
Players Happen on Field.
How perfect absurdly the so-called compilers of statistics group many of their

FIFTH RACE-Three-year-olds and upward; one tle. Phil Finch, 112 (Warren), 1 to 2, won; Henry atterson, 165 (Walker), 8 to 1, second; Besterling, 1 (Troxler), 15 to 1, third. Time, 131 2-5. Jacomo d Red Light also ran.

ilie and seventy yards. Quinn Brady, 110 (Martin), to I, won; Gause, 115 (Lloyd), 18 to 5, second; Henry Rosworth, 102 (Bilac), 25 to 1, third. Time, 18. Frank Flesher, Langford James, Broken felody, Jungle Imp, Erla Lee, Lady Vimont, and

PROPER WINS ONCE MORE. Takes New Year Handicap at Oakland for Third Time.

San Francisco, Jan. 1-About twelve Butler, Peck, pitcher, killed by cars at thousand people assembled at Oakland

varsity team, accidentally killed by re- Proper carried the New Year Handicap. West Gun Carriage. volver in hands of roommate, Novem- He got off flying and led throughout. This Erecting is the third New Year's handicap won by Secondary Mount. Thomas, William, fell overboard while en route on steamer from Providence to New York

Is the third New York attracted considerable attention, and the likeliest field erable attention, and the likeliest field erable attention. Peterson, William, killed by cars at ever seen here went to the post. Sam Hil- R. M. Shop. dredth's Firestone, a grand-looking colt, Tool Shop. self on the turf. After winning the fifth than 150.

Plausible, but escaped with a shaking up. Talbert ... FIRST RACE-Six and one-half furlongs. Lord H. Sherrer...... 5,338 Boston, Mass., Jan. I.—Frank H. Burr, (Hunter), 50 to 1, second; The Mighty, 110 (Brown), Severn .

THIRD RACE-For two-year-olds; three furlongs. Sam Hildreth's Firestone, by Royal Flush-Modreda, 114 (L. Williams), 2 to 1, won; Raconteur, 111 (Mc-Intyre), 9 to 1, second; Bunker Hill, 114 (Brown), 5 to 1, third. Time, 0:36 1-5. Thomas Calhoun, Paraol, Henry Kelly, Brookle, Husky, My Bell, Heather clared that the fact that Burr had not Scott, Vallejo, and Old Daddy finished as named. Scott, Vallejo, and Old Paddy Enisted as named FOURTH RACE—New Year's Handicap; one and one-eighth miles; \$2,000 added. Proper, 119 (Brown), 3 to 5, won; Ramus, 100 (Horner), 12 to 1, second; Logistilla, 118 (Miller), 11 to 5, third. Time, 156 2-5. Corrigan and Joe Coyne finished as named. FIFTH RACE—Futurity course. Van Ness, 106 Miller), 9 to 10, won; Banposal, 106 (T. Sullivan), 3 to 2 second; Burleigh, 115 (L. Williams), 8 to 5, hird. Time, 1:11 2-5. Mechant, Plausible, Edith

lames, and Chief Witman finished as named, SIXTH RACE—Mile and fifty yards. Neptunus.

56 (Thurston). 8 to 5, won; Gov. Davis, 102 (W. Miller), 8 to 5, second; Clamor, 38 (Horner), 15 to 1. third. Time, 1:57. Mabel Hollander, Baker, and held in St. Louis March 18-31, were effected by the control of the 'lydeo finished as named.

A. MUSKODAY IS WINNER.

Lands Rose Selling Stakes at Ascot Before Large Crowd.

by G. R. Rose, the well-known book- any prize they may win. naker. Summaries:

FIRST RACE—One mile. Foncasta, 99 (Gargan), 5 to 5, won; Parvo. 102 (Callahan), 10 to 1, second; Sheriff Bell, 107 (Keogh), 20 to 1, third. Time, 145. Myrtle B., Seedcake, Respirator, Rosinini, Tatterham, Fox Lake, and All Right also ran.

H. Bryson, of Indianapolis; Third Vice President F. W. Gosewich, of St. Paul; Secretary Samuel Karpf, Dayton; Treasurer, F. L. Påsdeloup, Chicago; J. J. Haager, Serings—tailored in

Daniel), 3 to 5, second; Belvoir, 107 (Preston), 8 to 1. third. Time, 1:424. Uncle Henry, Komombo, Van Hope, and Kinsman also ran.
FOURTH RACE—Rose Selling; one and one-sixteenth miles. A. Muskoday, 100 (Riley), 10 to 1. won; Cigarlighter, 99 (T. Riley), 8 to 1, second; Gorgalette, 97 (Preston), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:48. J. F. Donohue, Euripides. Dusty Miller, Supreme Court, Bryan, Van Tromp, Entre Nous, and Baron Esher also ran.
FIFTH RACE—One mile. Adonis. 101 (Koerner).

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FIFTH RACE—One mile. Adonis, 101 (Koerner) 6 to 5, wor; Bannell, 97 (Kent), 4 to 1, second Bushwhacker, 101 (Pisher), 60 to 1, third. Time 1-35. Mohur, Veritas Vincita, Yellow Kid. Sen tado, Spartan, Myrlie D., and Vandola also ran.

SIXTH RACE—Selling; Futurity course. Con fessor, 111 (Koerner), 7 to 10, won; Ila, 106 (Keogh) 20 to 1, second; Susannah, 25 (McDaniel), 4 to 1 third. Time, 1:11½ Redan, Revolt, Sais, Lore Provost, and Round Dance also ran.

RACING CARDS FOR TO-DAY.

New Orleans. FIRST RACE-Five and one-half furlongs; selli Buren Arnold. SECOND RACE-Six furlongs; selling: THIRD RACE-One mile; selling: FOURTH RACE-One and one-sixteenth

106 | Delphie 108 | James Reddick. FIFTH RACE-Six furlougs; purse; SIXTH RACE-One 92 Dekaber 90 Lena J..... 05 Lady Charade

Oakland. SECOND RACE-Six forlongs 109 Mrs. Mathews... 194 Hersain 97 The Reprobate... 110 Pinaud 102 Kinloch Jake Ward omand Boas Billy Watkins. Duarte FOURTH RACE-Stx furlengs:

Ruberia Miss Officious. Soufriere FIFTH RACE-One and one-eighth miles SIXTH RACE-One mile

FIRST RACE-Six furlongs Jack Little..... Tramator SECOND RACE-Futurity course orfolk THIRD RACE-Brooks course: FOURTH RACE-One mile:

FIFTH RACE-Futurity course: SIXTH RACE-Six furlongs:

in the League, The West Gun Carriage team is tied

with Erecting quint for first place in the Navy Yard Bowling League, each team having won 26 games and lost 7. 180. Lee, of Miscellaneous Shop, is sec ond, with an average of 168, while Doyl

Jackson, Tenn., February 10.

Farr, Herbert, former star pitcher of Beloit College, killed in mine accident at Angle Point, Cal.

this afternoon. The bookmakers handled considerable money, and possibly had a shade on the day, as they made tight the Gun Shop, with 165, is third. The team standings follow:

race, Jockey Sanders was thrown off

BOWLING TOURNEY PLANS.

St. Louis Association Contracts for Prizes and Alleys,

ficially sanctioned at a meeting of the pedia executive committee of the American Bowling Congress at the Missouri Athletic | bl Club yesterday.

Chief among the actions taken at the abethtown, N. C.; aged fifty-nine; resimeeting were the approving of the plans Los Angeles, Jan. 1.-One of the for the alleys and the building in which Cella has a large share of the stock in largest crowds of the season attended the the tournament is to be held and the acthe Fair Grounds, it is thought that if races at Ascot to-day. The bookies did a ceptance of the bond to cover the prize he has succeeded in getting in to the thriving business. The feature event of list of the tournament. This assures that the day was the Rose Selling Stakes for the bowlers who attend the tournament three-year-olds and upward. There was here will have first-class alleys on which \$2,000 added, of which half was donated to bowl, and that they will be assured of

Those present to-day were President R. F. L. Pasdeloup, Chicago; J. J. Haager, Louisville; J. W. McCormick, Toledo; M. A. serings—tailored in

CHANGES IN LEAGUE

Sunday School Ball Players Are Not Satisfied.

TWO CLUBS MAY WITHDRAW

Neither Foundry Nor Calvary Are Likely to Be Represented Should Organization Continue Another

The Sunday School League, the oldest geant. of the District amateur baseball organizations, which has successfully operated for replied Bell. "Well, we want you for homicide," said four consecutive years, has a rather doubtful outlook for next season.

their pennant winners, the Foundry out- Mercy. fit in the District inter-league series, and 8 there is not much interest among the league's promoters in the prospects for

Considerable hard feeling, was engendered by opposing factions at the windvary Methodist participated in a squabble as to the right to the pennant. It was learned from an official of the league yesterday that it is almost a certainty that neither Calvary nor Foundry will enter a team in case the league should continue another year.

Must Change Field.

It is feared that it will be impossible to se the grounds at Fourteenth and New-

a league exclusively for the churches in now used in making smokeless powder Mt. Pleasant. These include Calvary and when the letters patent were issued Methodist, St. Stephens, Mt. Pleasant they transferred them to Charles A. representative ball-tossers. This would be a great innovation for hill enthuslasts talized for \$9,000,000, and all competition and would probably draw as well as the was destroyed. The trust not only sup ant grounds.

RICHMOND INDOOR MEET.

Invitations Received by Local Teams for Games on January 26,

The managers of the field and track ceams of the local colleges and schools must be shown before any steps co have received invitations to be represent- taken against the officers named or the ed at the indoor meet in Richmond, Jan- trust be proceeded against.

College, University of Pennsylvania, Vir- eign government that holds a contract ginia Polytechnic Institute, University of with the trust, this government would Virginia, Randolph-Macon, William and not have a supply of powder, and its en Mary, Washington and Lee, Hampden- mies would be supplied by the very cor High School, and the Washington high here at home.

The programme follows: hurdles, 440-yard dash, balf-mile run mile run, pole vaulting, putting 16-pound 106 shot, running high jump, three-legged School events-Fifty-yard dash, 440-

yard dash, running high jump. Prizes for these events will be the same as last year-a gold watch to the winner,

FIRST TWO-YEAR-OLD WINNER. Robert Tucker's Whisk Broom Takes

Opening Race of Year, Broomstick.

Tucker will have a pretentious string on in the saddle, which will be a sewere andicap. Martin would not have ridden gain for Tucker even if he had not signed to ride for the Big Tim Sullivan-Johnson-Farrell stable this year, for Martin and Tucker had a falling out last fall,

which caused them to part bitter enemies "Hon." W. R. Cobb, Bowery Charac-

ter, Found Dead on Steps. norning. He had sat in the doorway, had fallen across the west-bound track druggist told her the child was dead. with his head bent over his knees, during early yesterday morning. 180 the noisy heralding of the new year, and The engineer saw the obstruction just ing the child's body to the morgue and passers by had squawked their horns into in time to prevent a big smash. As it potter's field.

When Policeman Hay called up the jolted and thrown from their seats. his deaf ears. When Policeman Hay called up the morgue wagon and had the body removed a search was made through the pockets of the dead man's shiney black coat.

It is said that the train was going at the rate of about sixty miles an hour 156 Then it was a letter bearing the letter- when the tree was first seen. This is the head of a Tampa, Fla., newspaper iden- same train that was wrecked at Laurel tified the white-haired man as Hon. Run several years ago, when sixty-five 154 William Rosser Cobb. Leonard Hill, manager of the Emergency laboratories at 32 West Twenty-fifth street, confirmed the FAREWELL MESSAGE IN BOTTLE identification later in the day.

Though the letter found on the body of the Bowery wreck dignified him with the 150 title of "honorable," that was not the 150 prefix usually given him by those who drink 5-cent whisky in the Bowery dives. The man behind the bar hailed him as 'Pop" when he had money in his pockets. Others, who used to hear him talk about the pyramids of Chize, or the monas-St. Louis, Jan. 1.-Plans for the national teries on Puk-Han such times as he was championship tenpin tournament, to be in his cups, used to call him "professor," and he was known in ten places along the Bowery as a perfect walking encyclo-

> The police have entered this slip on their "William Rosser Cobb; birthplace, Elizdence unknown; death caused by intoxication and exposure; no effects."



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GIVES UP; HELD FOR MURDER.

Bell Stabbed Friend Just After Confessing Before Priest.

New York, Jan. 1 .- "I understand you want me," said a boy as he entered th Adams Street police station shortly after the advent of the New Year to-day.

"Who are you?" asked the sergeant.
"I'm Henry Bell," said the young man.
"Don't know as we do," said the ser-

What made you think you were wanted?" "Well, I was involved in a fight last night, and I cut a man who was taken o the hospital," said young Bell.

The sergeant then recalled that during fight at Myrtle and Hudson avenue Robert Wagner, twenty years old, of 3 Season-Talk of Forming a League Marion street, had been cut in the neck and had been taken to the Brooklyn Hospital. He called up the hospital and as-certained that Wagner had just died. "Did you cut Wagner?" asked the ser-

"Yes, sir; but I did it in self-defense,"

The followers of the organization were disappointed at the showing made by their pennant winners the Foundary out the confession for the confession of the Church of Our Lady of the Church of Our Lady

POWDER TRUST FIGHT AGAIN

up of last season when Foundry and Cal- Government Contractors Charged with Selling Product Abroad.

> Alleged That Combination Forces High-priced Contracts from the the Government.

The fight will be renewed this winter ton streets again next summer. Since against the smokeless powder trust, the close of last season the Fourteenth known as the Dupont-Internationa street car line has been extended, and Smokeless Powder Company, which is now the tracks pass directly behind the said to be a holding concern for the batter's box. The field can and may be Marsden Company, E. I. Dupont, de reversed in order to bat toward Four- Nemours & Co., of which Senator Du Pont teenth street, This would lessen the dan- is president; the Laffin-Rand Powder ger from foul tips, but it would require Company, and the California Company considerable grading and the moving of It is alleged by those who are conducting the stands from one end of the field to the opposition to the trust that, while employed in the government service, Ad-According to Mr. Fowler, of Calvary, miral G. A. Converse and Lieut. Berthere is a strong probability of forming nadou secured patents on the process Congregational, and Fourth Presbyterian, Rutter, who conveyed them to the Interll of which are capable of turning out national Smokeless Powder and Dynaplies the Navy and War departments with smokeless powder, but is engaged in securing large contracts with different foreign countries,

The matter was called to the attention of the Department of Justice last Oc Start the New Year Right tober, and Judge Purdy, Acting Attorney General, decided that the fact of fraud It is known that the officials of the

Among the schools expected to take part in the different events will be Georgetown, George Washington, University of Maryland, Western Maryland College University of Pannsylvania Vir. Woodberry Forest, Episcopal tractors who are upheld in a monopoly The trust is charged with sending in identical bids from three of its constitu-

formous and exorbitant profit.

HOLDS PASTOR PRISONER. Congregation Transfers Affection

and Assaults Old Preacher. Binghamton, N. Y., Jan. 1.-Rev. Joseph Pospech, pastor of the S. S. Cyril sedal to the second, bronze medal Methodist Slavok Church, of this city, is practically a prisoner in his parish house

New York, Jan. L.-Robert Tucker, the mer. During his absence a younger the night of December 1, are held in the plunging trainer, who has become a full-priest was assigned to duty, and won the fledged owner since severing relations hearts of his parishioners. On Pospech's of Coroner Julius Harburger, pending an with the Brown stable, has the honor of winning the first two-year-old race of the year with Whisk Broom, a half-brother of Broomstick.

declines to transfer him, and his parishturns out to be one of poverty and hard turns out to be one of poverty and hard through the parish house windows, and luck. The story as told by Gassert and broken up church services. Now the his wife is believed by the coroner, and if The individual honors go to Talbert, of the Jockey Club track this year, but he will not have the services of Jack Martin

180 Lee of Miscellaneous Shop is section the saddle which will be a severe when a stranger approaches the house at No one is allowed in the yard, and will be released. night all lights are immediately extinguished. A state of siege is main

SWIFT TRAIN HITS TREE.

Prevent Disaster. Cumberland, Md., Jan. 1.-The Duquesne Limited, the fast Baltimore and ing of December 1 by his wife's cries. New York, Jan. 1.-Hon. W. R. Cobb Ohio train from Pittsburg, due here at was found dead in a doorway at 236 Park 10:42 p. m., while running at a high speed side her. Before he could stop her, she The following are the individual records was found dead in a doorway at 236 Park local pray to be delivered from as a colt that will make a name for himten as a colt that will be a colt will be run over to the nearest drug store. The

was, the passengers were severely

lives were lost.

Sank in 1902, Comes to Light. London, Jan. 1.-What some persons suppose is the first news of the loss of claims that this was the means of curing the Allan Line steamer, Huronia, in February, 1902, was contained in a tightly cold for him. corked bottle, which floated ashore at Castle Rock, in the north of Ireland. In the bottle was a piece of paper, on which the following was legibly written: "The Huronia is sinking fast. * is top-heavy and one side is under wr. Good-bye

mother and sister. "Charles McFall Greaser." Belief in the genuiness of the paper seems to rest upon the ascertained fact that there was a greaser of the name of McFall on board the steamer. His rela-

KNEW WASHINGTON.

Negro Woman Who Died Last Week Was 129 Years Old. Mineral Wells, Texa Jan. 1 .- One hun-

dred and twenty-nine years is said to have been the age of "Aunt" Dorcas Harris, a negro woman who, had she lived until to-day, would have seen parts of three centuries. The old negress surrived until Christmas week. Reliable white people who have known her for years say that, among all her

Tatterham, Fox Lake, and All Right also ran.

SECOND RACE—Two-year-olds; three furlongs.
Katie Rains, 107 (Kent), 3 to 1, twor, Kienet, Jr., 110 (Smith), 20 to 1, second; Magazine, 119 (Kuhns), 3 to 1, third. Time, 0:26%. Velma, Early Tide, Marina Town Talk, Connie Ma, Booger, Red, Boonie Hairn, Decorator, Argentine, Martha Jane, Maid of Orleans, and Gigana also ran.

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Abandoned It in Hope Some One

Would Find and Bury the Infants

LEFT BABY DEAD IN CARRIAGE

Corpse-Mystery Explained. New York, Jan. 1.-Charles Gassert, the on Clinton street, while members of his stable hand, and his wife, Mary, scullery congregation threaten him bodily vio- woman, parents of the seven-months-old baby boy whose body was found aban-The trouble grows out of a European doned in a shabby little baby carriage at trip taken by Father Pospech last sum- Second avenue and Ninety-ninth street on

it can be corroborated by the police they Gassert says he lived with his wife, her nine-year-old boy by a former marriage, tained, and the interference of the bishop and the child whose body was found in a tenement house at 2053 Second avenue, up to December 1. They had a year of hard luck and one misfortune followed fast on another. The baby had been ill and they WHISKY AND COLD KILL HIM. Engineer Sees Obstruction in Time to had no money for a physician or to get proper nourishment for the child. Gassert said he was awakened early on the morn-She had discovered the baby dead be-

> They decided finally to put the body The in the baby carriage and leave it in a place where somebody who might bury

They had no money, and dreaded send-

it would find it. hour Cold Water Baths Cure Consumption. Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 1,-Michael Laikin, of Lowell, Mass., who has gained a reputation as a midwinter swimmer, has arrived here after a 1.500 mile walk o his home. Five years ago Laikin was dying of consumption, and was advised to Note from Victim of Huronia, Which the middle of winter, he dragged himself from his bed, had a hole cut in the ice, and took a plunge into the river. He him, and that the water cannot get too

